## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:	) Group Art Unit: 1634
Dr. Paddy Jim BAGGOT	) <ul><li>Examiner: Diana B. Johannsen</li></ul>
<b>Serial No.:</b> 09/499,006	) Confirmation Number: 9604
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For: TREATMENT OF CHROMOSOMAL ABNORMALITIES IN FETUSES THROUGH A COMPREHENSIVE METABOLIC ANALYSIS OF AMNIOTIC FLUID	

## SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT FEE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Non Compliant Notice mailed on March 8, 2007, the following amendments address the § 112 issue that was raised in the final office action in the parent case.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.8, that I have reasonable basis to expect that that this paper or fee (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) would be transmitted on the date shown below by efiling with the USPTO addressed to the Mail Stop Amendment Fee,, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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